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# **Knitting Mittens**

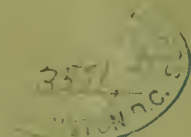
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# NO. 1.

## SINGLE OR INSIDE DOUBLE MITTEN

Sec. 1.—Set up on front side 8 stitches at right hand, and 4 at left. Widen out till 12 needles are in action on the right and 8 on the left, knitting 1 round after each widening.

Sec. 2.—Then knit  $22\frac{1}{2}$  rounds, stopping with crank at left.

Sec. 3.—Form thumb at left hand by dropping 3 stitches front and 3 back, and push up 2\* more needles front and 2\* back. Attach 1 lb. weight, and knit 6 rounds, stopping with crank at left; then narrow 1 stitch right hand front, and turn crank to right.

Sec. 4.—Narrow 2 stitches at left, knitting 2 rounds after each stitch, stopping with crank at left; then narrow 1 stitch right hand back and turn crank to right; then narrow 2 more stitches at left, knitting 2 rounds after each stitch, stopping with crank at left, then narrow 1 stitch right hand front, and turn crank to right.

Sec. 5.—Now narrow down to 8 stitches at left, knitting 2 rounds after each stitch, stopping with crank at left; then narrow 1 stitch right hand back, and knit 18 rounds.

OUTSIDE DOUBLE MITTEN.—Set up on front side 12 stitches at right hand and 4 at left; widen out till 13 needles are in action on the right and 8 on the left. Then begin at Sec. 2 and knit the same as inside mitten, except putting up 3 needles instead of 2 at the stars in Sec. 3, and only knit 14 rounds for wrist after the last narrowing, using different colored yarn.

FOR THUMBS.—Outside.—9 stitches front and 9 stitches back. Inside.—8 stitches front and 8 back.



## NO. 2.

### SINGLE OR INSIDE DOUBLE MITTEN

Sec. 1.—Set up on front side 8 stitches at right hand, and 4 at left. Widen out till 13 needles are in action on the right and 9 on the left, knitting 1 round after each widening.

Sec. 2.—Then knit  $26\frac{1}{2}$  rounds, stopping with crank at left.

Sec. 3.—Form thumb at left hand by dropping 3 stitches front and 3 back, and push up 3\* more needles front and 3\* back. Attach 1 lb. weight, and knit 6 rounds, stopping with crank at left; then narrow 1 stitch right hand front, and turn crank to right.

Sec. 4.—Narrow 2 stitches at left, knitting 2 rounds after each stitch, stopping with crank at left; then narrow 1 stitch right hand back and turn crank to right; then narrow 2 more stitches at left, knitting 2 rounds after each stitch, stopping with crank at left, then narrow 1 stitch right hand front, and turn crank to right.

Sec. 5.—Now narrow down to 9 stitches at left, knitting 2 rounds after each stitch, stopping with crank at left; then narrow 1 stitch right hand back, and knit 20 rounds.

OUTSIDE DOUBLE MITTEN.—Set up on front side 9 stitches at right hand and 4 at left; widen out till 14 needles are in action on the right and 9 on the left. Then begin at Sec. 2 and knit the same as inside mitten, except putting up 4 needles instead of 3 at the stars in Sec. 3, and only knit 16 rounds for wrist after the last narrowing, using different colored yarn.

FOR THUMBS.—Outside.—10 stitches front and 10 stitches back. Inside.—9 stitches front and 9 back.





## NO. 3.

### SINGLE OR INSIDE DOUBLE MITTEN

Sec. 1.—Set up on front side 9 stitches at right hand, and 4 at left. Widen out till 15 needles are in action on the right and 10 on the left, knitting 1 round after each widening.

Sec. 2.—Then knit  $30\frac{1}{2}$  rounds, stopping with crank at left.

Sec. 3.—Form thumb at left hand by dropping 3 stitches front and 3 back, and push up 4\* more needles front and 4\* back. Attach 1 lb. weight, and knit 6 rounds, stopping with crank at left; then narrow 1 stitch right hand front, and turn crank to right.

Sec. 4.—Narrow 2 stitches at left, knitting 2 rounds after each stitch, stopping with crank at left; then narrow 1 stitch right hand back and turn crank to right; then narrow 2 more stitches at left, knitting 2 rounds after each stitch, stopping with crank at left, then narrow 1 stitch right hand front, and turn crank to right.

Sec. 5.—Now narrow down to 10 stitches at left, knitting 2 rounds after each stitch, stopping with crank at left; then narrow 1 stitch right hand back, and knit 24 rounds.

OUTSIDE DOUBLE MITTEN.—Set up on front side 10 stitches at right hand and 4 at left; widen out till 16 needles are in action on the right and 10 on the left. Then begin at Sec. 2 and knit the same as inside mitten, except putting up 5 needles instead of 4 at the stars in Sec. 3, and only knit 20 rounds for wrist after the last narrowing, using different colored yarn.

FOR THUMBS.—Outside.—11 stitches front and 11 stitches back. Inside.—10 stitches front and 10 back.



## NO. 4.

### SINGLE OR INSIDE DOUBLE MITTEN

Sec. 1.—Set up on front side 10 stitches at right hand, and 4 at left. Widen out till 17 needles are in action on the right and 11 on the left, knitting 1 round after each widening.

Sec. 2.—Then knit  $34\frac{1}{2}$  rounds, stopping with crank at left.

Sec. 3.—Form thumb at left hand by dropping 3 stitches front and 3 back, and push up 5\* more needles front and 5\* back. Attach 1 lb. weight, and knit 8 rounds, stopping with crank at left; then narrow 1 stitch right hand front, and turn crank to right.

Sec. 4.—Narrow 4 stitches at left, knitting 2 rounds after each stitch, stopping with crank at left; then narrow 1 stitch right hand back and turn crank to right; then narrow 4 more stitches at left, knitting 2 rounds after each stitch, stopping with crank at left, then narrow 1 stitch right hand front, and turn crank to right.

Sec. 5.—Now narrow down to 11 stitches at left, knitting 2 rounds after each stitch, stopping with crank at left; then narrow 1 stitch right hand back, and knit 26 rounds.

OUTSIDE DOUBLE MITTEN.—Set up on front side 11 stitches at right hand and 4 at left; widen out till 18 needles are in action on the right and 11 on the left. Then begin at Sec. 2 and knit the same as inside mitten, except putting up 6 needles instead of 5 at the stars in Sec. 3, and only knit 22 rounds for wrist after the last narrowing, using different colored yarn.

FOR THUMBS.—Outside.—12 stitches front and 12 stitches back. Inside.—11 stitches front and 11 back.



## NO. 5.

### SINGLE OR INSIDE DOUBLE MITTEN

Sec. 1.—Set up on front side 11 stitches at right hand, and 4 at left. Widen out till 19 needles are in action on the right and 12 on the left, knitting 1 round after each widening.

Sec. 2.—Then knit  $38\frac{1}{2}$  rounds, stopping with crank at left.

Sec. 3.—Form thumb at left hand by dropping 3 stitches front and 3 back, and push up 6\* more needles front and 6\* back. Attach 1 lb. weight, and knit 8 rounds, stopping with crank at left; then narrow 1 stitch right hand front, and turn crank to right.

Sec. 4.—Narrow 4 stitches at left, knitting 2 rounds after each stitch, stopping with crank at left; then narrow 1 stitch right hand back and turn crank to right; then narrow 4 more stitches at left, knitting 2 rounds after each stitch, stopping with crank at left, then narrow 1 stitch right hand front, and turn crank to right.

Sec. 5.—Now narrow down to 12 stitches at left, knitting 2 rounds after each stitch, stopping with crank at left; then narrow 1 stitch right hand back, and knit 28 rounds.

OUTSIDE DOUBLE MITTEN.—Set up on front side 12 stitches at right hand and 4 at left; widen out till 20 needles are in action on the right and 12 on the left. Then begin at Sec. 2 and knit the same as inside mitten, except putting up 7 needles instead of 6 at the stars in Sec. 3, and only knit 24 rounds for wrist after the last narrowing, using different colored yarn.

FOR THUMBS.—Outside,—13 stitches front and 13 stitches back. Inside.—12 stitches front and 12 back.



## NO. 6.

### SINGLE OR INSIDE DOUBLE MITTEN

Sec. 1.—Set up on front side 12 stitches at right hand, and 4 at left. Widen out till 21 needles are in action on the right and 13 on the left, knitting 1 round after each widening.

Sec. 2.—Then knit  $42\frac{1}{2}$  rounds, stopping with crank at left.

Sec. 3.—Form thumb at left hand by dropping 3 stitches front and 3 back, and push up 7\* more needles front and 7\* back. Attach 1 lb. weight, and knit 8 rounds, stopping with crank at left; then narrow 1 stitch right hand front, and turn crank to right.

Sec. 4.—Narrow 4 stitches at left, knitting 2 rounds after each stitch, stopping with crank at left; then narrow 1 stitch right hand back and turn crank to right; then narrow 4 more stitches at left, knitting 2 rounds after each stitch, stopping with crank at left, then narrow 1 stitch right hand front, and turn crank to right.

Sec. 5.—Now narrow down to 13 stitches at left, knitting 2 rounds after each stitch, stopping with crank at left; then narrow 1 stitch right hand back, and knit 30 rounds.

OUTSIDE DOUBLE MITTEN.—Set up on front side 13 stitches at right hand and 4 at left; widen out till 22 needles are in action on the right and 13 on the left. Then begin at Sec. 2 and knit the same as inside mitten, except putting up 8 needles instead of 7 at the stars in Sec. 3, and only knit 26 rounds for wrist after the last narrowing, using different colored yarn.

FOR THUMBS.—Outside.—14 stitches front and 14 stitches back. Inside.—13 stitches front and 13 back.





# NO. 7

## SINGLE OR INSIDE DOUBLE MITTEN

Sec. 1.—Set up on front side 13 stitches at right hand, and 6 at left. Widen out till 22 needles are in action on the right and 15 on the left, knitting 1 round after each widening.

Sec. 2.—Then knit  $46\frac{1}{2}$  rounds, stopping with crank at left.

Sec. 3.—Form thumb at left hand by dropping 4 stitches front and 4 back, and push up 6\* more needles front and 6\* back. Attach 1 lb. weight, and knit 8 rounds, stopping with crank at left; then narrow 1 stitch right hand front, and turn crank to right.

Sec. 4.—Narrow 4 stitches at left, knitting 2 rounds after each stitch, stopping with crank at left; then narrow 1 stitch right hand back and turn crank to right; then narrow 4 more stitches at left, knitting 2 rounds after each stitch, stopping with crank at left, then narrow 1 stitch right hand front, and turn crank to right.

Sec. 5.—Now narrow down to 15 stitches at left, knitting 2 rounds after each stitch, stopping with crank at left; then narrow 1 stitch right hand back, and knit 32 rounds.

OUTSIDE DOUBLE MITTEN.—Set up on front side 14 stitches at right hand and 6 at left; widen out till 23 needles are in action on the right and 15 on the left. Then begin at Sec. 2 and knit the same as inside mitten, except putting up 7 needles instead of 6 at the stars in Sec. 3, and only knit 30 rounds for wrist after the last narrowing, using different colored yarn.

FOR THUMBS.—Outside.—15 stitches front and 15 stitches back. Inside.—14 stitches front and 14 back.





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